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**PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of :

Applicant : Arnett et al.  
Serial No. : 09/686,516  
Filed : October 11, 2000  
Title : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COLLECTION AND  
ANALYSIS OF ELECTRONIC DISCUSSION MESSAGES  
Docket No. : BL055-GN004  
Examiner : Meinecke Diaz, Susanna M.  
Art Unit : 3623

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT**

The present submission is filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement that are collectively in response to a Final Office Action having a mailing date of May 10, 2006 and having a period of response extended through and including November 10, 2006.